

FOUNTAIN COUNTY

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County Data

- Adult Smoking Rate – 28%
- Number of Adult Smokers – 3,708
- Smoking During Pregnancy – 27%
- Number of Smoking-Affected Births – 56
- Lung Cancer Incidence (2003-2007) – 77.3 per 100,000
- Lung Cancer Mortality (2003-2007) – 62.2 per 100,000

- Total Population – 17,954

- Ages 0-4 – 1,191
- Ages 5-17 – 3,520
- Ages 18-24 – 1,290
- Ages 25 and older – 11,953

- African American – 19
- White – 17,722
- Hispanic – 190

Tobacco Free Policies

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities:

- St. Vincent South Clinic
- Wabash Valley Hospital, Inc.

Public School Districts:

- Attica Consolidated School Corporation
- Covington Community School Corporation
- Southeast Foundation Community Schools

Government Buildings:

- All county government buildings are smoke free.

Community-based Tobacco Control Coalition

- Attica Consolidated School Corporation
- Community Action Program Inc. of Western Indiana
- Covington Business Association
- Covington Community School Corporation
- Fountain Co. Ministerial Association via Nazarene Church of Covington
- Fountain County /Warren County Health Department
- Indiana Criminal Justice Institute
- Indiana Rural Health Association
- MSD of Warren County
- SE Fountain School Corporation
- St. Vincent Williamsport Hospital
- Super Test
- TATU/VOICE youth

Community Indicators

- Increase the proportion of Indiana school districts that support and implement a comprehensive school strategy against tobacco use.
- Extent of community activism among youth to support community change that includes youth involved in the VOICE movement.
- Proportion of smoke free policies for worksites, including restaurants and bars.
- Proportion of school districts with tobacco-free campuses.
- Extent of promotion of the Indiana Tobacco Quitline
- Proportion of health care providers and health care systems that have fully implemented the Public Health Service guidelines for cessation.
- Extent of participation by partners within the broad-based coalition.
- Extent of participation by groups representing disparately affected (i.e. hard to reach) populations in the community.

Funding

- Funding for July 2009- June 2011: \$54,000